



Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District 103

Memo

To: Board of Education
 From: Anthony Mendoza, CDPT
 CC: Dr. Katie Reynolds
 Date: August 14, 2026
 Re: Transportation Snapshot

August 2026						
Planned Staff		Hired Staff - Breakdown				
Title	# of Positions Planned	# of Certified Staff Not including AM only driver	# of Spare Drivers	AM Only Driver	# of Drivers in Training	Total Hired Staff
Bus Drivers	32	23	3	1	0	28
Monitors	7	5	0	0	0	5
Van Drivers	3	1	0	0	0	1

Routes					Open Route Coverage						
Type of Route	# of Total Routes		# of Routes Covered includes AM only driver as .5		Open Routes	# routes needing coverage		# of positions covered by First Student		# of positions needing coverage	Notes
School Bus	28	-	22	=	6	6	-	6	=	0	
Monitors	5	-	5	=	0	0	-	0	=	0	
Van	3	-	1	=	2	2	-	2	=	0	Covered by TopLine

The following vacancies are indicated above under “# of routes needing coverage.”

- 1 bus driver on Leave of Absence
- 1 van driver resigned due to a new job.
- 1 van driver resigned for better hours to align with her children’s needs
- 1 bus driver submitted their resignation on 8/10/26 due to a new job with TSA.
- 2 “already certified” drivers start on 8/17/26 but will need training.
- 1 driver begins training on 8/17/26.

We are outsourcing our two vacant van routes with TopLine while we work to fill those vacancies.

We anticipate our 2 “already certified” new drivers will be clear from training the week of August 24th. We are in the process of completing references for an “already certified” bus driver, and if they are successful, we will present at a future board meeting for approval.



Fleet Maintenance Update

BUS	BUS DOWN	ISSUE	NOTES
2704	X	DTC 521330-01 battery controller - most severe	EV Bus DTC 521330-01 battery controller - most severe.